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Summary statement by the Secretary-General on matters of which the Security Council is seized and on the stage reached in their consideration

Addendum

Pursuant to rule 11 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Security Council, the Secretary-General is submitting the following summary statement.

The list of items of which the Security Council is seized is contained in documents S/2000/40 of 15 February 2000, S/2000/40/Add.1 of 21 February 2000, S/2000/40/Add.5 of 28 March 2000, S/2000/40/Add.8 of 14 April 2000 and S/2000/40/Add.9 of 19 April 2000.

During the week ending 22 April 2000, the Security Council took action on the following items:

General issues relating to sanctions

The Security Council met to consider the item at its 4128th meeting, held on 17 April 2000 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Australia, Bulgaria, Cuba, Germany, Iraq, Italy, the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya, New Zealand, Pakistan, Portugal, Sweden, the former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia and Turkey, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

In the absence of objection, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation to the Permanent Observer of Switzerland to the United Nations to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Kieran Prendergast, Under-Secretary-General for Political Affairs.

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The situation in Angola (*see* S/25070/Add.4, 10, 17, 22, 23, 28, 37, 44 and 50; S/1994/20/Add.5, 10, 21, 25, 31, 35, 38, 42, 43 and 48; S/1995/40/Add.5, 9, 14, 18, 31, 40 and 50; S/1996/15/Add.5, 16, 18, 27, 40 and 49; S/1997/40/Add.4, 8, 11, 12, 15, 26, 29, 34, 39 and 43; S/1998/44/Add.4, 11, 17, 20, 23, 25, 26, 32, 37, 41, 48, 51 and 52; S/1999/25/Add.1, 2, 7, 17, 19, 29, 33 and 40; and S/2000/40/Add.2, 10 and 14; *see also* S/19420/Add.51; S/22110/Add.21; and S/23370/Add.12, 27, 37, 40, 43, 48 and 51)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 4129th meeting, held on 18 April 2000 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it a letter dated 10 March 2000 from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 864 (1993) concerning the situation in Angola addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2000/203). There was one suspension and one resumption of the meeting.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Angola, Belgium, Brazil, Bulgaria, Burkina Faso, Gabon, Mozambique, New Zealand, Portugal, Rwanda, Spain, Togo, the United Republic of Tanzania and Zimbabwe, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President drew attention to a draft resolution (S/2000/323) that had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The meeting was suspended.

Upon the resumption of the meeting, the Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/2000/323 and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1295 (2000) (for the text, see S/RES/1295 (2000); to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-fifth Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 2000*).

Protection of civilians in armed conflict (*see* S/1999/25/Add.5, 7 and 36)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 4130th meeting, held on 19 April 2000 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the report of the Secretary-General on the protection of civilians in armed conflict (S/1999/957). There was one suspension and one resumption of the meeting.

The President, with the consent of the Council, invited the representatives of Australia, Austria, Azerbaijan, Bahrain, Colombia, Egypt, Indonesia, Israel, Japan, New Zealand, Pakistan, Portugal, the Republic of Korea, Singapore and the Sudan, at their request, to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Jakob Kellenberger, President of the International Committee of the Red Cross.

In the absence of objection, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation to the Permanent Observer of Switzerland to the United Nations to participate in the discussion without the right to vote.

The President drew attention to a draft resolution (S/2000/335) that had been prepared in the course of the Council's prior consultations.

The meeting was suspended.

Upon the resumption of the meeting, the Security Council proceeded to vote on draft resolution S/2000/335, and adopted it unanimously as resolution 1296 (2000) (for the text, see S/RES/1296 (2000); to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-fifth Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 2000*).

The situation in the Middle East (*see* S/7913, S/7923, S/7976, S/8000, S/8048, S/8066, S/8215, S/8242, S/8252, S/8269, S/8502, S/8525, S/8534, S/8564, S/8575, S/8584, S/8595, S/8747, S/8753, S/8807, S/8815, S/8828, S/8836, S/8885, S/8896, S/8960, S/9123, S/9135, S/9319, S/9382, S/9395, S/9406, S/9427 and Corr.1, S/9449, S/9452, S/9805, S/9812, S/9930, S/10327, S/10341, S/10554, S/10557, S/10703, S/10721, S/10729, S/10743, S/10770/Add.4, S/10855/Add.15, 16, 23, 24, 29, 30, 33, 41, 43 and 44; S/11185/Add.14-16, 21, 42/Rev.1 and 47; S/11593/Add.15, 21, 29, 42 and 49; S/11935/Add.21, 42 and 48; S/12269/Add.12, 13, 21, 42 and 48; S/12520/Add.10, 11, 17, 21, 37, 39, 42, 47 and 48; S/13033/Add.2, 16, 19, 21, 23, 34, 47 and 50; S/13737/Add.15, 16, 21, 24-26, 33, 47 and 50; S/14326/Add.10, 11, 20, 24, 28, 29, 47 and 50; S/14840/Add.8, 21-25, 27, 30-33, 37, 42 and 48; S/15560/Add.3, 21, 29, 37, 42, 45, 47 and 48; S/16270/Add.6-8, 15, 20, 21, 34, 35, 40 and 47; S/16880/Add.8-10, 15, 20, 21, 41 and 46; S/17725/Add.2, 15, 21, 28, 35, 38, 43 and 47; S/18570/Add.2, 21, 30 and 47; S/19420/Add.2-4, 18, 19, 22 and Corr.1, 30, 48 and 50; S/20370/Add.4, 12, 16, 21, 30, 32, 37, 44, 46, 47 and 51; S/21100/Add.4, 21, 30 and 47; S/22110/Add.4, 21, 30 and 47; S/23370/Add.4, 7, 21, 30 and 47; S/25070/Add.4, 21, 30 and 48; S/1994/20/Add.3, 20, 29 and 47; S/1995/40/Add.4, 21, 29 and 47; S/1996/15/Add.4, 15, 21, 30 and 47; S/1997/40/Add.4, 21, 30 and 46; S/1998/44/Add.4, 21, 30 and 47; S/1999/25/Add.3, 20, 29 and 46; and S/2000/40/Add.4)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 4131st meeting, held on 20 April 2000 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it two letters dated 6 and 17 April 2000 from the Secretary-General addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/2000/294 and S/2000/322, respectively).

The President stated that, following consultations of the Council, he had been authorized to make a statement on behalf of the Council and read out the text of that statement (for the text, see S/PRST/2000/13; to be issued in *Official Records of the Security Council, Fifty-fifth Year, Resolutions and Decisions of the Security Council, 2000*).

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During the week ending 29 April 2000, the Security Council took action on the following items:

The situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo (*see* S/1997/40/Add.21; S/1998/44/Add.35 and 49; S/1999/25/Add.10, 13, 24, 30, 43, 47 and 49; and S/2000/40/Add.3 and 7; *see also* S/1996/15/Add.43-45; S/1997/40/Add.5, 7, 9, 13, 16 and 17; S/1998/44/Add.28)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 4132nd meeting, held in private on 25 April 2000 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations, having before it the second report of the Secretary-General on the United Nations Organization Mission in the Democratic Republic of the Congo (S/2000/330 and Corr.1). At the close of the meeting, the following communiqué was issued by the Secretary-General in accordance with rule 55 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Council:

> "At its 4132nd meeting, held in private on 25 April 2000, the Security Council considered the situation concerning the Democratic Republic of the Congo. The representative of the Democratic Republic of the Congo was invited, at his request, to participate in accordance with rule 37 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure.
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> "The Security Council heard a briefing under rule 39 of its provisional rules of procedure by Sir Ketumile Masire, facilitator of the inter-Congolese dialogue.

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"The members of the Council made comments and posed questions in connection with the briefing.

"The representative of the Democratic Republic of the Congo made a statement.

"Sir Ketumile Masire responded to the comments and questions posed by members of the Council."

The situation in East Timor (*see* S/11593/Add.50 and 51; S/11935/Add.15 and 16; S/1999/25/Add.17, 22, 25, 30, 33-36, 42 and 50; and S/2000/40/Add.4 and 11)

The Security Council resumed its consideration of the item at its 4133rd meeting, held on 27 April 2000 in accordance with the understanding reached in its prior consultations.

In accordance with the understanding reached in the Council's prior consultations, the President, with the consent of the Council, extended an invitation under rule 39 of the Council's provisional rules of procedure to Hédi Annabi, Assistant Secretary-General for Peacekeeping Operations.